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Help Is Greatly Needed

Conditions in the south country through another crop failure are in such a serious state that authentic reports of little children suffering because their parents are unable to supply them with decent clothing and food are plentiful. In some places even the schools have had to close down because the children were unable to attend owing to the above reason. Adults, too are greatly in need of assistance in some places because of the great scarcity of money and the impossibility of receiving any for some time to come.

Some districts in central Alberta have undertaken to see that clothing anyway is sent to these people and the same work is being undertaken in Didsbury.

If you have any clothing, boots or shoes that you are not using but which are not in too bad condition send or bring them to the Pioneer office, J. W. Phillips or W. P. Sick and these goods will be sent to the right places for distribution.

Remember, winter is fast coming on, and he or she who gives now of their store helps more than if the same goods were given a month or two from now and may be the cause of saving some lives—Do it now.

Big Railroad Strike May Happen in U.S.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 17.—Five hundred general chairmen of the Big Four brotherhoods and of the Switchmen's Union of North America, yesterday were given final orders by the railroad union heads to call their men out in a progressive general strike, beginning at 6 a. m. Oct. 30, it was officially announced by Union leaders.

Final arrangements for the strike rapidly were nearing completion last night. For the purpose of the strike the unions on Saturday divided the railroads into four groups. Employees on seventeen roads in group No. 1 will be ordered to walk out on Oct. 30 and the strikes will be called on the other groups at intervals of 48 hours, union leaders said.

The walkout will affect 2,000,000 employees of the different sections of railroad life which will also include the railroad telegraph workers.

High School Fair Prize Winners

CLASS I

Sec. 1—Color Work

D. Smith; Annie Eubank; Nan Johnson.

Sec. 2—Pen and Pencil Sketch
Arthur Liesemer; Nan Johnson; Margery White.

Sec. 3—Lettering, Advertising Poster
Annie Eubank; Fern E. Etzell; Olive Hyde.

CLASS II

Sec. 1—Composition

Grades 5-10

Nellie Wilson; Fred Watkins; Hazel Webb.

Sec. 2

Nellie Wilson; Richard Watkins; Tom Reed.

CLASS III

Sec. 1—Composition

Thelma Samson; Myra Clipperton; Adele Stewart.

CLASS IV

Sec. 1—Domestic Science

Loaf of Bread

D. Smith.

Sec. 2—Biscuits

Vera Sexsmith; Hazel McInnes; Margery White.

Sec. 3—Apple Pie

Norah Campbell; Margery White; Thelma Jones.

Acquire the Habit

Doubtless you know persons who, notwithstanding small salaries, have more substantial savings than you.

It is all in getting the saving habit. Persistently deposit \$5 in your savings account every week for five years, and with interest at 3% compounded semi-annually, your balance will total \$1,401.74.

UNION BANK OF CANADA

Didsbury Branch - - - A. E. Ryan, Manager
Carstairs Branch - - - J. W. Gillman, Manager

Sec. 4—Layer Cake

L. A. Brown; Frances Larsen; Hazel Webb.

CLASS V

Sec. 1—Woodwork

Chas. Allison; Rose Young; Ed Watkins.

AROUND THE TOWN

Don't forget the sale at Mrs. Peterson's 25 per cent. off on all trimmings and ready to wear millinery.

A dance will be held in the schoolhouse Friday, October 28th. Ladies please bring lunch.

Mr. F. L. Schueleke and family en route to Los Angeles, California, spent a week at the home of J. J. Schueleke, his brother.

Buy wool for that small wool sweater that will be held on Armistice night. Watch for further particulars.

Special services will be held at Jutland Schoolhouse beginning October 24th. Services begin at a quarter to eight, to be held every evening during the week except Saturday. Rev. W. B. Dengis will assist at these services. J. E. Bender, pastor.

Catalogues for the big annual auction sale of dairy cattle, sheep and swine to be held in Calgary, on October 25th, 26th, and 27th are now out and can be had on application to the Live Stock Associations, Calgary.

A meeting of all those interested in curling will be held in P. R. Reed's office at 8 o'clock on Friday evening, October 21st, for the purpose of reorganizing the Curling Club for the coming winter. All interested in curling are urged to be on hand and get in line for this grand old winter sport.

MILLINERY SALE—for the week end a reduction of 25 per cent. will be made on all trimmed and ready to wear hats Mrs. Peterson's.

Mr. Buchanan, of Calgary, was visiting with Mayor and Mrs. H. W. Chambers over the week end and enjoyed a day's shooting on Saturday. Mr. Buchanan is the father of Mrs. (Dr.) Chambers of Calgary and was Registrar for Lloyds of London, Eng. for about forty years. He has travelled all over the world on business for Lloyds but thinks we have as good a country right here as anywhere.

As early as the first streaks of dawn on Saturday the clag, clag, of the motor could be heard carrying local motorists out to the happy hunting grounds after prairie chicken and partridge, the shooting season opening on that day. Most of those who went out returned with their legal limit as the chicken were very plentiful after a closed season of one

year. The shooting season again closes on October 31st.

The first political meeting of the campaign will be held in the Opera House on Monday night next when the Hon. R. B. Bennett, Minister of Justice, and candidate for the West Calgary constituency will address a meeting of the electors. Bennett needs no introduction as a fluent speaker in this district where he is so well and favorably known but every person should make it a point to hear him explain the cause of the party he represents.

The meeting is advertised to commence at seven o'clock.

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TAX SALE

Sale of lands in the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 219, for arrears of taxes.

Notice is hereby given that certain lands in the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 219, will be offered for sale for the arrears of taxes and costs. The sale will take place at the Municipal office in the town of Didsbury on Tuesday, November 15th, 1921, at 2 o'clock p. m. A full list of the said lands may be seen in the Didsbury Pioneer issue of September 29th, 1921, the title of Gazette issue of October 15th, or printed lists of same may be had on application to the undersigned.

Unless the arrears of taxes be sooner paid, I shall proceed to sell the said lands at the place and time above mentioned.

Dated at Didsbury the 26th day of September, 1921.

A. BRUSO,

Secretary, Treasurer.

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REPOSE
TEA is good tea

Keeps Fresh
and Fragrant
in the Sealed
Package

Good Roads Throughout The West

Visitors from Europe to America, and the thousands of our Canadian boys who went overseas between 1914 and 1918, cannot refrain from noting the sharp contrast afforded by the character of the roads in European countries with those which so generally prevail on this side of the Atlantic and the contrast is by no means favorable to America.

It is recognized, of course, that the other civilizations of Europe, with their swelling millions of people and their comparative small areas so contrasted with the enormous extent and sparse population of Canada, do not present parallel cases, but, after making due allowance for these conditions, it must be admitted that it is true that the people of Canada seriously grapple with the problem, here as it is, of providing better highways.

Poor roads, or none at all, are inseparable from pioneer countries. The untrodden paths must first be explored, trails broken, and very ordinary routes of travel pointed. Only with the influx of population and permanent settlements, and the years of first class road-making be carried out. But despite all the handicap of an enormous extent of territory and a small population, this Canada has led the world in the construction of railways, and its pioneer railways, still young in years, is a marvel of efficiency, a source of national pride, and of admiration to other lands.

But Canada's roads? Taken as a whole they are execrable, a source of national humiliation and shame, a source of an inefficient, expensively run people. Whatever excuse there may have been in the past for the neglect of the primary arteries of transportation and communication, the excuse will no longer hold good. The urgent need of dealing with the problem in a big, bold, and aggressive manner is now clear. It has been recognized in the United States where great strides in the work of improvement have been made in recent years. It is now the turn of Canada to take up the work, especially the Western Provinces. Quebec and Ontario are tackling the problem, and the West must do likewise.

The introduction of the automobile and its now almost universal use has forced the importance and value of good roads upon the attention of all. Hereafter as good roads have always been in the internal economy of the country, they have taken on added importance and value with the coming of the motor-driven car. Poor roads were never cheap at any time, and the cost of building good roads and maintaining them is small in comparison to the cost of bad roads in these days of the automobile.

It is false economy, penny wise and pound foolish, to refrain from the necessary expenditure for good roads and then as individual citizens and taxpayers pay out many times the amount in loss of valuable time, time lost to business, to recreation, and enormous waste in the use of gasoline and oil, all of which is the inevitable result of bad roads. And every farmer knows that the savings when forced to haul a half-ton of grain many miles to 25 cents a bushel, or the sale of the same at a discount, with the hauling of a light load in less time and at less labor for his horses, over a good road.

Two main things appear to be required. First, that the immediate need for road building by municipalities, cities, towns, and independent men in charge, be replaced by systematic planning and work carried out by the Provincial Governments under the direction of qualified engineers and road-making experts. To some extent, extensive better road-making is being followed, but there is still room for its extension. In fact, in all Provinces through out the West the Provincial Governments should be responsible for the proper construction of all main highways, leaving only the minor local arteries leading into those highways to the care of the municipal councils.

Second, and of equal importance, is the question of the maintenance of the roads once they have been built. Hundreds of thousands of dollars spent in the construction of fairly good roads have been lost, owing to failure to provide proper maintenance and upkeep. There is hardly a district in Western Canada which does not provide such rapid losses of almost annual road management and waste.

The present time, when there is considerable unemployment throughout the country, would seem to suggest work of a sort which would give a cashback on an active and well-considered programme of good roads construction throughout the West. True, road-building cannot be carried out during the severe winter months when the ground is frozen, but the programme could have its roads and orders placed for necessary materials, this growing winter, employment in the manufacture of such materials, and then with the completion of another year's work, thousands of men could be put active, at work and kept steadily employed until harvest and harvesting called them into the fields, instead of, as now, bringing tens of thousands of harvest hands into the country for a few weeks' work at high wages right on the eve of winter setting in, thousands of whom find that their harvest work are not sufficient to carry them over the winter and they therefore become a charge upon the state, and turn into which they drift when harvesting is completed.

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Here Are The Three Platforms

The Parties and the Tariff

The tariff plank of the National Liberal and Conservative party is as follows:

"A thorough revision of the tariff with a view to the adoption of such reasonable measures as are necessary—(A) to assist in providing adequate revenues; (B) to stabilize legitimate industries; (C) to encourage the establishment of new industries essential to the economic development of the nation; (D) to develop to the fullest extent our natural resources; (E) to prevent the abuse of the tariff for the exploitation of the consumer; (F) to safeguard the interests of the Canadian people in the existing world struggle for commercial and industrial supremacy."

"The principle of trade preference between the different members of the British Commonwealth should be maintained and extended from time to time to such degree as may be found practicable and consistent with Canada's interests."

The tariff plank of the Liberal party is as follows:

"That the best interests of Canada demand that substantial reduction of the burdens of customs taxation be made with a view to the alleviating of two purposes of the highest importance: (1) Diminishing the very high cost of living which presses so severely on the masses of the people; (2) Reducing the cost of the instruments of production in the industries based on the natural resources of the Dominion, the vigorous development of which is essential to the progress and prosperity of our country."

"That to these ends wheat, flour and all products of wheat, the principal articles of food, farm implements and machinery, farm tractors, mining, flour and sawmill machinery and repair parts thereof, rough and dressed lumber, gasoline, illuminating, lubricating and fuel oils etc., nets, net twines and fishermen's equipment and fertilizers should be free from customs duty, as well as the raw material entering into the same; that a revision downward should be made and substantial reductions should be effected in the duties on wearing apparel and foot wear, and on other articles of general consumption (other than luxuries), as well as on the raw material entering into the manufacture of the same; that the British preference should be increased 50 per cent. of the general tariff."

"That the Liberal party hereby pledges itself to implement by legislation the provision of this resolution when returned to power."

As to the Reciprocity Pact which the people of Canada defeated in the general election of 1911, it is declared that "we, as Liberals, again face on record our appreciation of the object of the said agreement, and our faith in the principles of friendly international relations underlying it and we express our earnest hope that there will be a renewed manifestation by the two governments of a desire to make some similar arrangement."

The tariff plank of the Farmers' party, as promulgated by the Canadian Council of Agriculture, calls for the amending of the tariff laws as follows:

(1) By an immediate and substantial all-round reduction of the customs tariff.

(2) By reducing the customs duty on goods imported from Great Britain to one-half the rates charged under the general tariff and that further gradual uniform reductions be made in the remaining tariff on British imports that will ensure complete free trade between Great Britain and Canada.

(3) That the Reciprocity Agreement of 1911 be accepted by the parliament of Canada.

(4) That all foodstuffs not included in the Reciprocity Agreement be placed on the free list.

(5) That agricultural implements, farm machinery, vehicles, fertilizers, coal, lumber, cement, illuminating fuel and lubricating oils be placed on the free list, and that all raw materials and machinery used in their

manufacture also be placed on the free list.

(6) That all tariff concessions granted to other countries be immediately extended to Great Britain.

LONDON, Oct. 17.—"That Mr Lloyd George has seen his way to go to Washington after all is the best possible news," says the Sunday Times. "No one could thoroughly fill his place there; no one could bring home so well to the United States people the conviction that we are in earnest about the things for which the conference stands. His presence will make all the difference between 'representation' and 'delégation'."

LACOMBE, Oct. 17.—The four-year-old son of W. J. Pawcett, a farmer, five miles north of town, was burned to death Friday evening, in a fire which destroyed that gentleman's barn and outbuildings. The unfortunate boy was playing in the barn with other children, when in some manner unknown the barn caught fire. Besides losing his large barn, Mr. Pawcett lost all his outbuildings, the house only being saved.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19th, 1921

The Federal Election is now an "issue" fact and no doubt there will be a lot of "issue" talk in regard to the stand taken by newspapers and other public bodies, and assertions made that have absolutely no foundation in fact. The Pioneer wishes to state at once that no matter what its advertising columns may contain it is absolutely free and independent of any party or organization and is not controlled by any person outside of the editors who own and control it solely on their own account. Our advertising columns are open to all parties and propaganda of any kind will be paid for as advertisement. We hope to be able to give a fair and impartial report of any political meetings held in this town and while they may not be given verbatim they will be a fair report of what was said. Our advertising columns are open for every body to put their views before the public if they feel so inclined.

While we have stated our independence as far as being controlled by any outside influence we wish to state that we reserve to ourselves the right to comment on the action or sayings of any candidates that may come before us or to criticize any platform or action by any party.

Fifty Miles of Locusts

Locust plagues were common in ancient times, and have also worried English and French agriculturists during the summer just past. How South Africa met—and conquered—this plague is told in the London Daily Mail by Mr. Fleming.

"It is a clear, bright sunny day in the Orange Free State. Good rains have fallen—the vegetation is knee-deep, green and luxuriant; thousands of acres of wheat and oats up to one's waist extend on all sides.

"To the man on the land—the man who has toiled for this crop—this means much. Hundreds of pounds possibly a trip to Britain for a holiday.

"And then, over the hills in the distance—hills one hundred miles away—appears a long, thin faint line not unlike yellow smoke. That is a locust swarm as you first see it.

"An hour goes by. The faint yellow cloud has spread higher into the sky; the hills have become blurred; the cloud a little darker.

"The grim irony of it all is that you can see this disaster approaching for hours and yet you can do nothing to avoid it.

"The swarm sweeps past overhead—millions and billions of millions of locusts fly past; millions and billions of them settle on every green blade.

"The swarm may be 50 miles in length—in depth it is sufficient to hide the sun.

"The noise of the swishing wings sounds like an electric power station

at work—every square inch of ground is covered with locusts. Every blade of wheat and grass is covered with locusts and you know that this is happening to every green blade in a hundred miles or more. In fifteen minutes there is not a single blade of wheat or grass left!

"And hour after hour the locusts fly on and on and settle and settle in millions of millions. And always the incessant whirring of the wings and the racing, patchy shadows of the swarm moving across the earth.

"Sometimes this lasted for two or three days without a break. "And I have gone to bed at night and tried to read, and seen only—locusts. Locusts, locusts, locusts—forever flying across the retina of the eye. It is an appalling experience for man to go through.

"But the South African Government got to work to exterminate the pest. Spray pumps, arsenate of soda, and treacle were given out to every farmer. Postcards were issued and reports of swarms were sent to the head office, where on a large map every swarm in the country was located and marked for destruction. The young locusts in their hopping stage to the sweet, poisoned grass on every farm in the country and died. And since 1905 we have been without locusts!

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A lady in India was recently applying for a passport to travel out of the country.
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World Happenings Briefly Told

Capt. Thomas Edwards, of Viola, Wis., is dead at the age of 165. He was said to be the oldest man in Wisconsin.

The change in the rule of the road, as it affects Vancouver Island and that portion of the mainland not already adhering to the "turn to the right" provision, will probably be made effective about Jan. 5, says H. H. King, minister of public works.

Though the bill for free rail travel to the Senate, it will be blocked indefinitely by the House and may not be enacted at all. President Harding is opposed to stirring up the question while the armistice conference is pending.

It is reported that the Vladivostok Government gunboat Balava, recently fired on the British steamer Dalmore, which, it was alleged, was transporting supplies for the use of the Bolsheviks at Petrozavodsk, Asiatic Russia. Hosts vessels have not yet arrived at Muroran, Japan.

A crack in a bathroom pipe may have been the cause of the flooding of the freighter Canadian Importer, which drifted about the Pacific Ocean for weeks disabled and waterlogged, was twice lost and found again, towed nine hundred miles to port and then was found to be practically intact as far as her hull was concerned.

Christmas In The Old Country

Christmas is a wonderful time to visit the Old Country, renew old acquaintances and have Christmas dinner at home. It is the one season of the year when the old family table is stretched to the limit and loaded with the best in the land for the yearly family reunion.

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A postcard to any Canadian Pacific Agent will bring full particulars re-22nd, 23rd, December 6th and 10th. R. 12

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Taking Reindeer To Baffin Land

Hudson's Bay Company Purchased Herd From Norway.

The Hudson's Bay Company steamer "Chasmoden" which will carry 700 reindeer from Norway to Baffin Land, is on her way to Cardiff, according to A. Brabant, fur trade commissioner of the company. After landing supplies she will proceed direct to Norway, where the animals already purchased by a representative of the company will be loaded.

Wireless Device in Operation. The first modern device for directing airplanes by wireless on the British Columbia coast has been erected at Tatonah, and is now in operation. It is claimed that this contrivance will direct seaplanes in a fog as easily as they could and their way in broad daylight. All shipping transients are invited to make full use of the apparatus.

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Gray Embroidery On a Green Duvetyn Suit



By Marie Belmont.

Embroidry is a noticeable addition to many of the smart suits for Fall. This model is cut from a pleasing shade of dark green duvetyne, for this color is one that will have many admirers during the Fall season. The skirt is straight and rather tight, for simplicity is usually a feature of the new cut-skirts. The coat has a deep border of the gray embroidery and it also enriches the front. The fold-over collar is lavishly embroidered, and barrel buttons of bone are selected for the fastenings. The sleeves, rather narrow in cut, have wide embroidered cuffs, while the green velvet hat is similarly adorned.

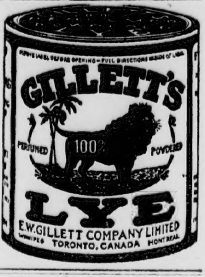
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Annual Convention W. C. T. U.

(Contributed)

The ninth annual convention of the Alberta Women's Christian Temperance Union was held in the first Baptist church, Edmonton, on October 5th, 6th, and 7th, 1921. Delegates from all parts of the Province in attendance. Mrs. L. C. McKinney, Provincial President presided at all the sessions. Her message was full of hope, good cheer and wholesome advice. The reports from various unions show gratifying progress. Papers on different subjects carefully prepared were read and talks were given which were edifying and uplifting. Mrs. McKinney's annual address was given in which she stated never was there greater need for the work of the W. C. T. U. never was the call of God so womanhood of the land more distinct than at the present moment. Much stress was laid on the necessity of teaching young people and children the value and benefit of total abstinence as every year brings the boys and girls nearer the time when they will assume leadership in social, political and educational life.

Mrs. John L. Moore, a guest at the convention in her address said: "The influence of the liquor traffic is said to be felt in all walks of life and it has brought nothing but shame, sorrow and heartache to millions of people. In the past years," the speaker said, "the government did not think it possible to call a halt to the manufacture and sale of liquor, but the last few years has proven that it is possible and in many countries it has been accomplished." In closing the speaker appealed to the audience for their moral support to make this land one that is safe not only for men and women but for young people who are more easily influenced and need protection.

Wednesday afternoon the delegates enjoyed an auto drive around the city. A banquet was served at which greetings from various organizations were given. Hon. John E. Brownlee, Attorney General, in his address said that the Greenfield government stands four square for Temperance. He emphatically said that he would do all in his power to promote temperance, that the work of the cabinet is not only to make and enforce the laws, but to lead the people to higher things. In closing Mr. Brownlee expressed the desire that anyone would feel at liberty at any time to communicate with him with regard to the breaking of the liquor act and stated that each complaint would have his personal attention and that at all times the W. C. T. U. could feel confident in his administrations.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Hon. Pres. Mrs. G. U. Bullock, Edmonton; President, Mrs. L. C. McKinney, Claresholm; Vice-Pres. Mrs. Chester Gainer, Edmonton; Corr. Sec. Mrs. T. McArthur, Med. Jean Hat; Rec. Sec. Mrs. E. G. Folsie, Ryley; Treas. Mrs. C. G. Craig, Olds; Y. Sec. Mrs. L. M. McPherson, Ryley; L. T. Sec. Mrs. Sidney Hassel, Red Deer.

Mr. Duncan Marshall Suffers Loss by Fire

Fire completely destroyed a large barn on the farm of Duncan Marshall, former minister of agriculture for Alberta, near Olds on Sunday afternoon. All the stock in the barn was lost in time to escape from the flames, but "Fair Match," Mr. Marshall's best Shorthorn cow was scorched, scared, but not hurt, before she got away to safety. This cow is the dam of the bull calf with which Mr. Marshall won at

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Chicago two years ago. The other animals were a two-year-old bull and ten head of male and female calves, all pure-bred Shorthorns from the finest animals in the herd.

A hired man was starting a gasoline engine used for pumping when it backfired and in some way not ascertained the configuration started, then rapidly spread to the barn from the engine shed. Efforts were immediately centered on letting loose the stock from the burning building, and after this had been successfully carried out Mr. Marshall directed operations to prevent the fire spreading.

Mrs. Marshall tested an S. O. S. call over the rural telephone and soon about 50 automobiles were on the scene but all that could be done was to continue efforts to prevent new fires starting through falling sparks. The barn was 28x22 feet and was quite high, the loft being packed with green cut sheaves for winter feeding. Fears were entertained that the large barn 28x22 feet just 50 feet away might catch fire also, but owing to an almost total absence of wind this was prevented. Had there been a strong wind blowing towards the barn the risk and other buildings must have been devoured by the flames.

FIRE KILLS MORE TREES THAN PLANTING CAN OVERTAKE

In all discussions of the forestry problem in Canada, too much emphasis cannot be given to the fact that the main job for this generation is the protection of our timberlands from the ravages of fire. While the reforesting of waste areas by tree planting is an excellent undertaking, the imperative duty is to save the hundreds of millions of small trees already planted by Mother Nature. The tree planting done by Nature costs the country nothing whatever and some day will turn in to the public treasury an enormous profit. The weakness is, however, that devoting assisting forest fires annually kill many millions of seedling trees which have begun to re-establish the natural forest on lands cut over for lumber or pulpwood. Until forest fires are definitely stopped, there is very little hope of tree planting ever replenishing the timber supply of this country. Nearly all forest fires take their start from such simple causes as an unextinguished camp fire, a lighted match or cigarette and the secret of forest fire suppression lies in the exercise of common vigilance by the individual Canadian as well as a sense of patriotism.

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